

# Heating in cluster cool cores

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# Outline

Global stability of heated cool cores

Reality check: observations of M84 an excuse to study:  
bubbles, waves, CR and their escape

Stability of magnetized bubbles

Escape of non-thermal particles from bubbles into the ICM

Escape of CR from cool cores and convective stability





## Semi-analytical approach:

- ✓  $\infty$  resolution !!
- ✓ easy to search the parameter space
- ✓ better physical insight

Strongly destabilizing



$$C = n^2 \Lambda(T) \propto n^2 T^\alpha$$

$$-\nabla \cdot F = \nabla \cdot (k \nabla T)$$

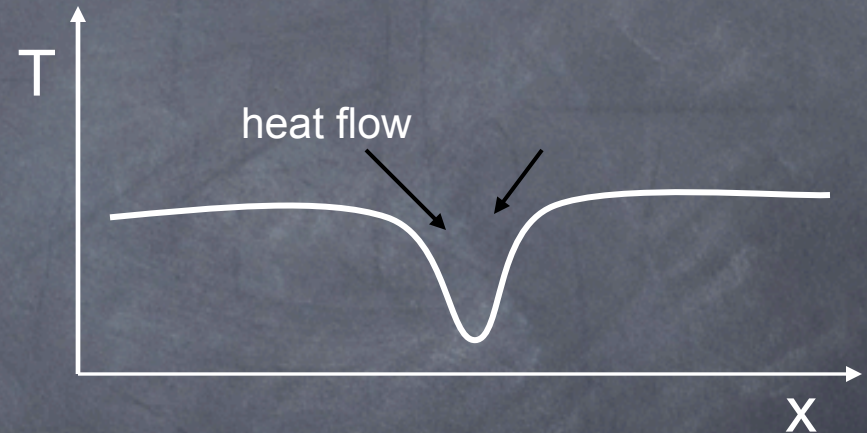
stabilizing



$$H \sim -\nabla \cdot F_{mech} \propto \dot{M} \frac{p^{1/4}}{r^3} \frac{d \ln p}{d \ln r}$$

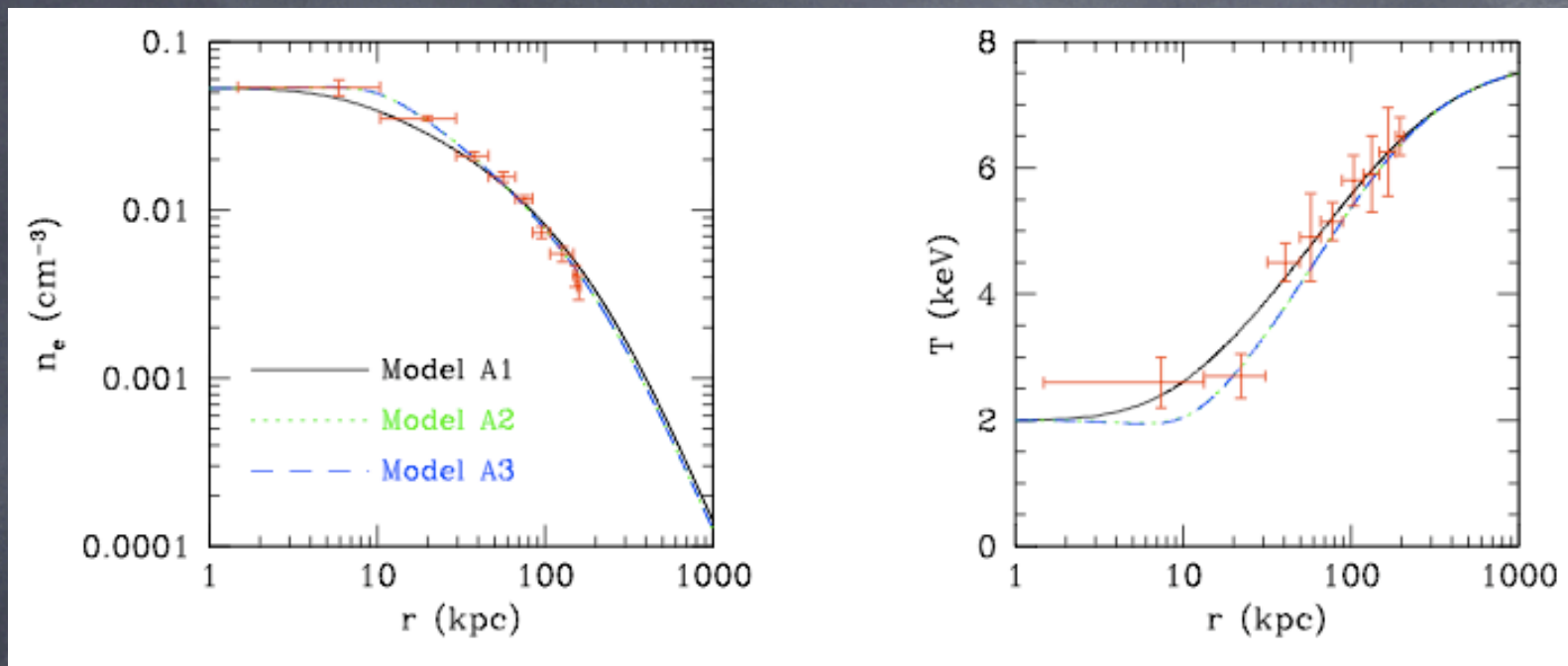


stabilizing



spatial heating profile less important than the feedback itself





Background model fits the data

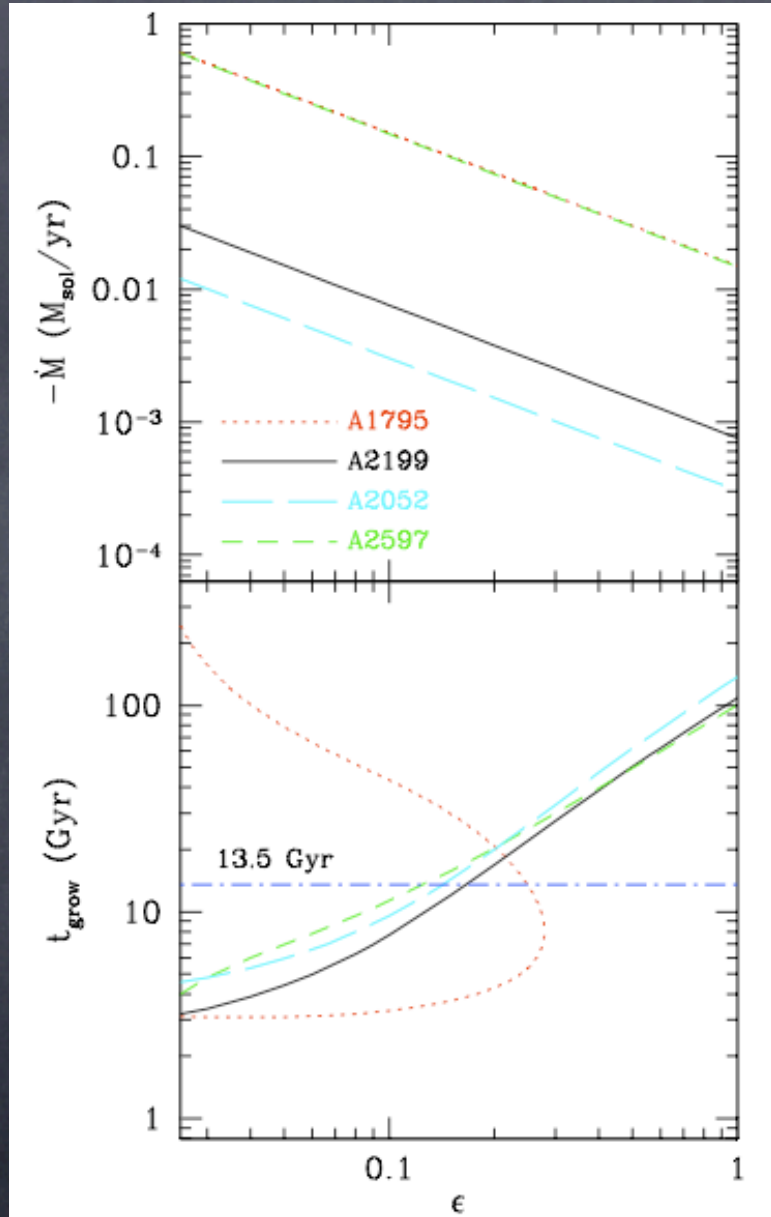
We want to study the whole range cluster parameters, so ...

- ✓ take background profiles
- ✓ apply Lagrangian perturbations and linearize the hydro equations
- ✓ study all growing (**unstable**) and decaying (**stable**) solutions



## Guo, Oh & Ruszkowski 2008

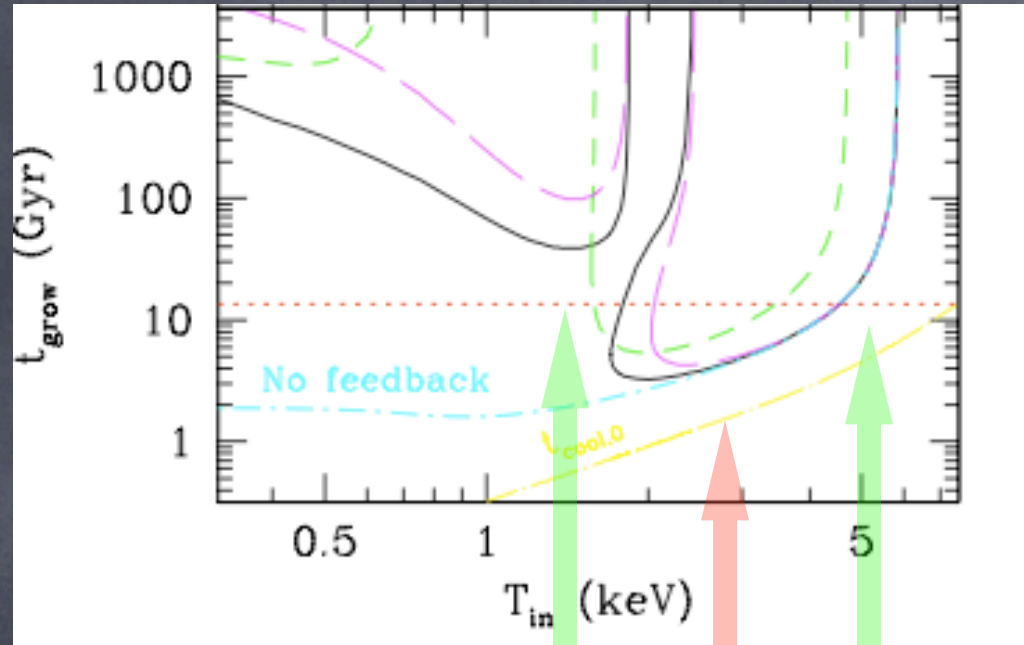
low accretion rates



$$L_{\text{agn}} = -\epsilon \dot{M} c^2$$

- ✓ efficiency threshold for stability
- ✓ efficiencies agree with Allen et al. 2006  
Merloni & Heinz 2007  
Churazov et al. 2001

# Guo, Oh & Ruszkowski 2008



Two diagrams

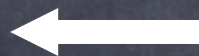
stable

unstable

stable

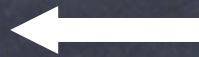
## Bimodality !

cool core



stabilized by AGN + conduction

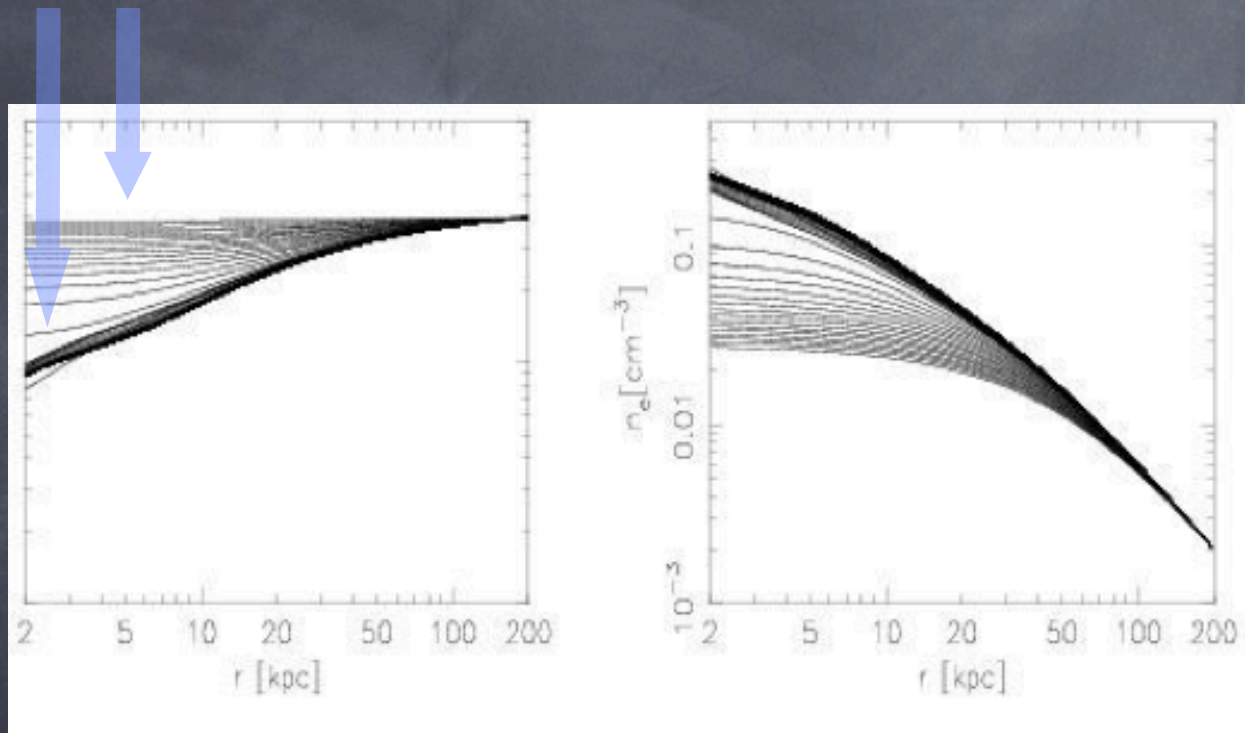
non cool core



stabilized by conduction



hint for bimodality

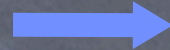


**Ruszkowski & Begelman 2002**

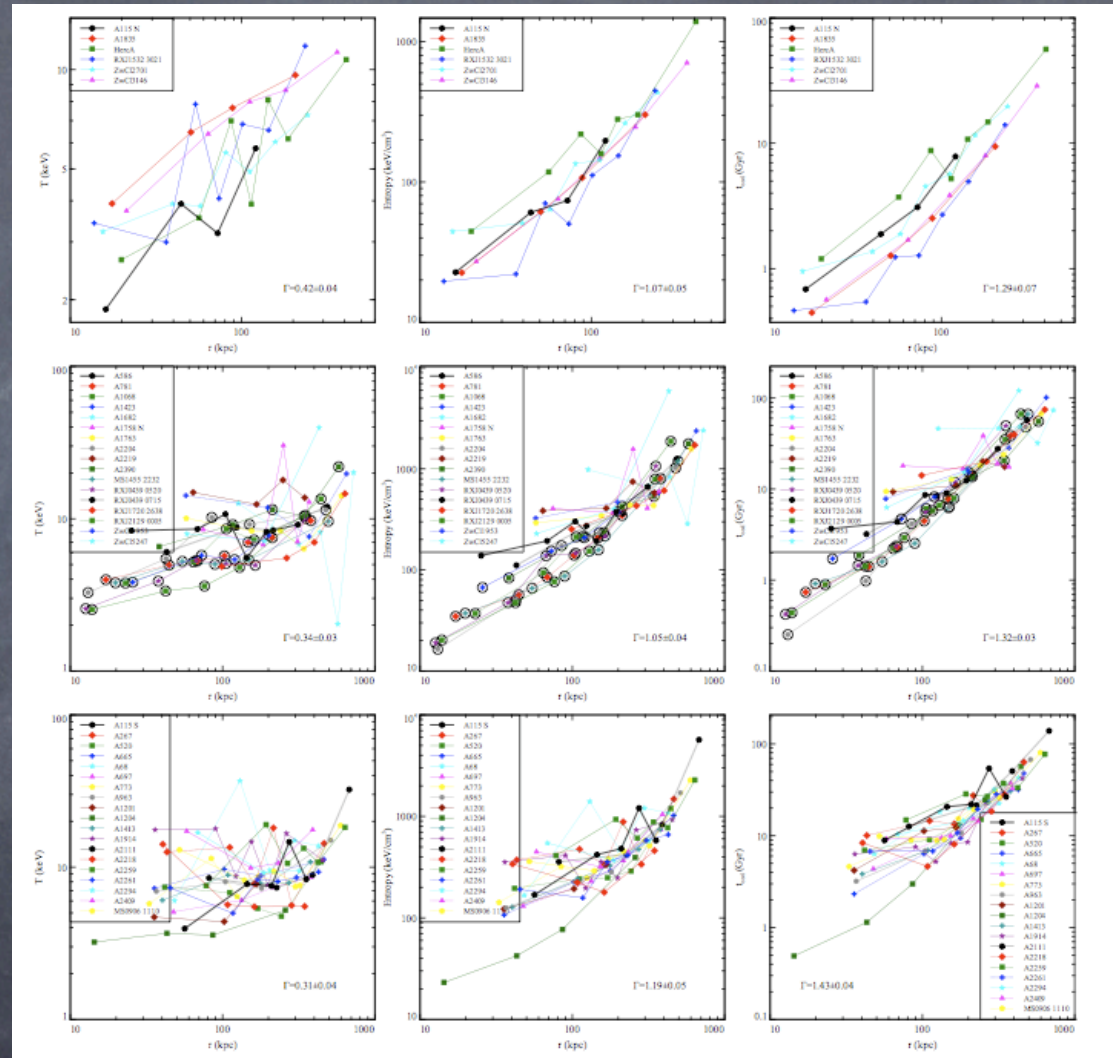
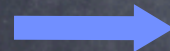
## Trends seen in the data

Dunn & Fabian 2008

AGN on  
low central T  
low central entropy  
short central cooling time

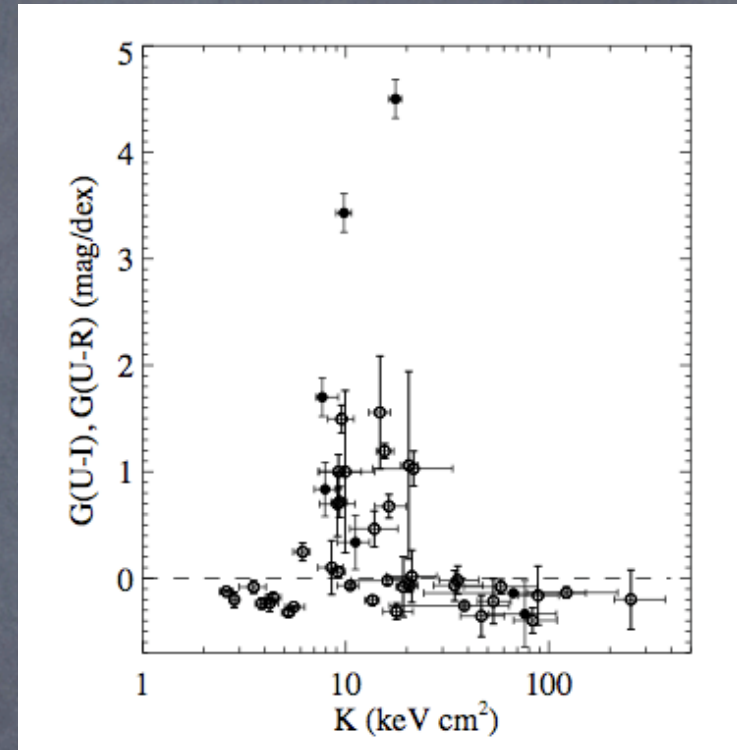
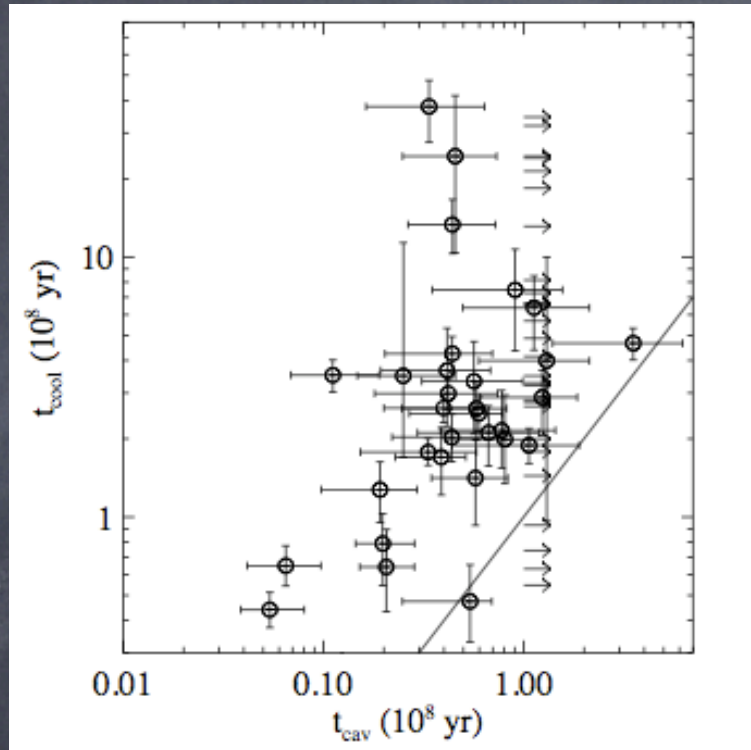


AGN off  
high central T  
High central entropy  
Long central cooling time





## Rafferty et al. 2008



Short central cooling time  $\longrightarrow$  Young AGN bubbles  
Low central entropy  $\longrightarrow$  Star formation & AGN feeding

See also Mark Voit's talk on the effects of conduction on AGN feeding

- ✓ The model is broadly **consistent** with the data
- ✓ Shown for the first time that AGN + conduction can heat the cool cores across a range of cluster parameters in a **stable** fashion
- ✓ The model naturally explains why clusters come in **cool core** and **non-cool core** varieties



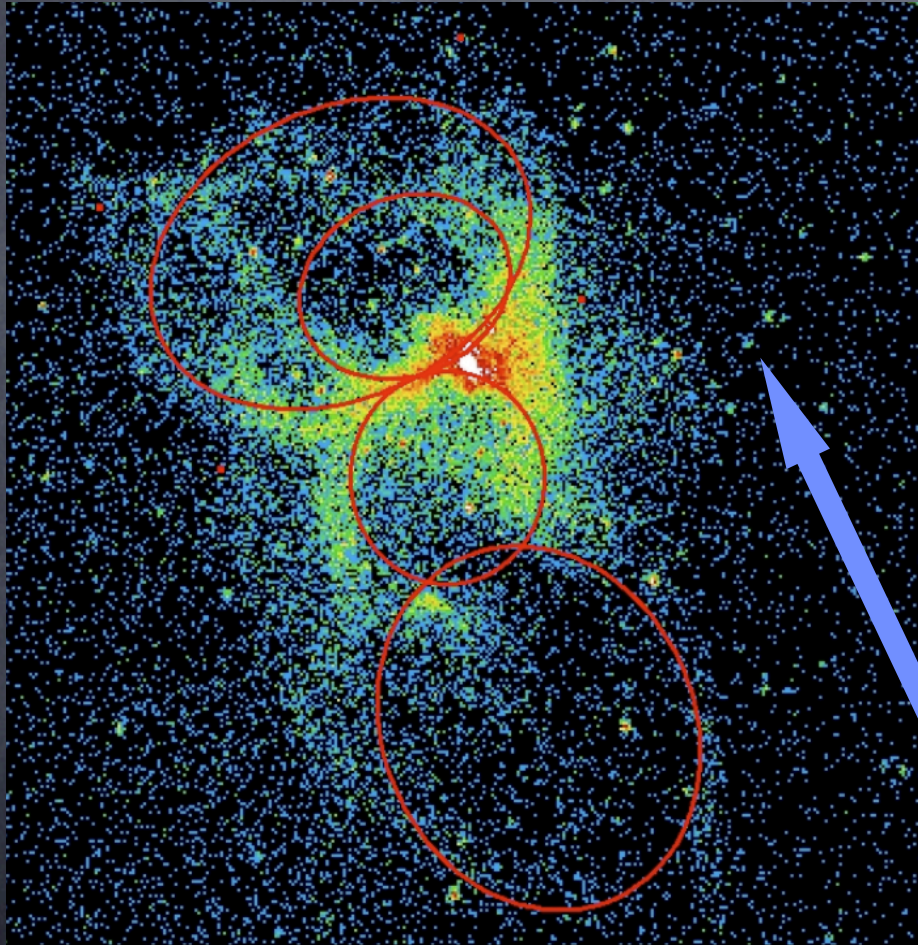
## Reality check - AGN feedback in M84 as an excellent lab

- ✓ Bubbles
- ✓ Waves
- ✓ Escape of cosmic rays from the bubbles
- ✓ ISM “weather”

**Finoguenov, Ruszkowski, Jones, Bruggen, Vikhlinin, Mandell 2008**



Deep ~ 100 000 second *Chandra* observation of M84



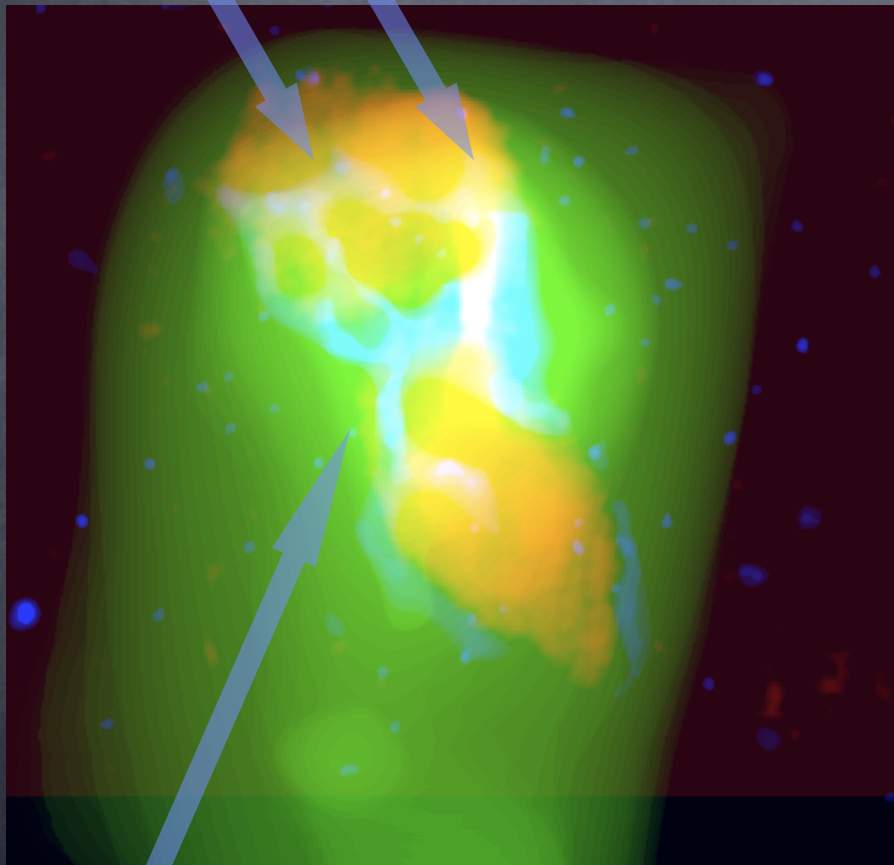
Russian doll X-ray cavities

relative motion of the AGN  
with respect to the ISM  
(distorted cavities)

direction of M84 motion  
(speed comparable to cavity  
expansion velocity)



**Non-thermal particles** (cosmic rays)  
escape and “pollute” the ISM



**Orange** - nonthermal  
(radio) emission

**Green** - large scale  
X-ray emission

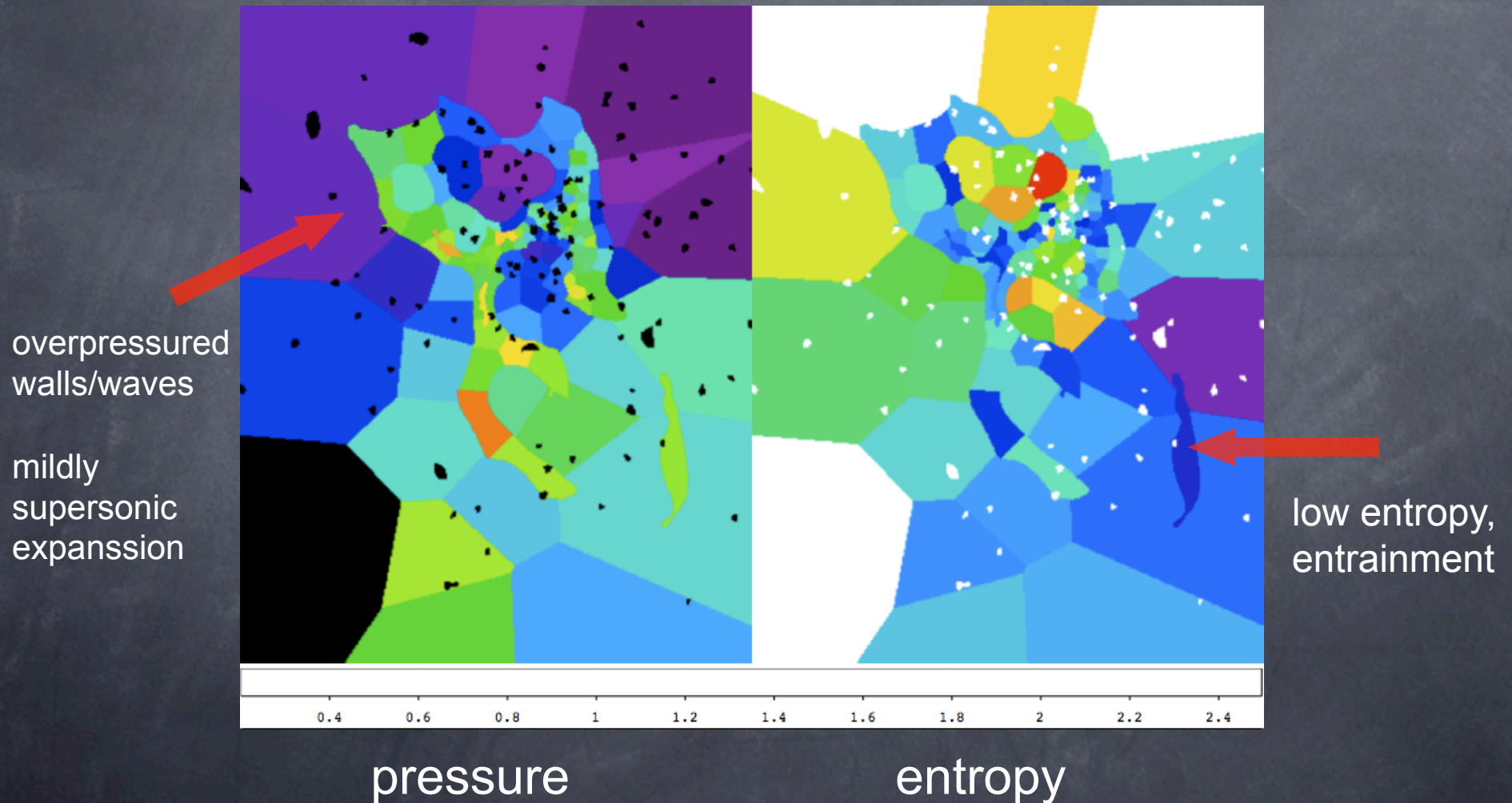
**Blue** - small scale  
X-ray emission

cross-field cosmic ray escape ?

# Finoguenov, Ruszkowski, Jones, Bruggen, Vikhlinin, Mandell 2008

Ratio of the observed pressure and entropy to their mean profiles

First application of Voronoi tessellation method to *Chandra* data





# Synthetic “M84” replica !!

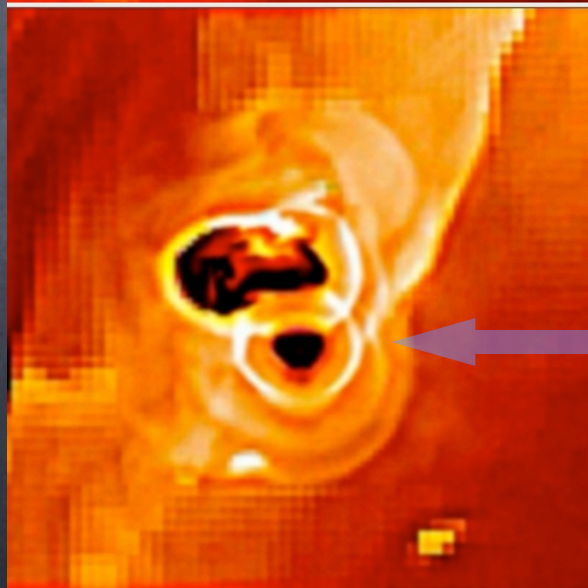
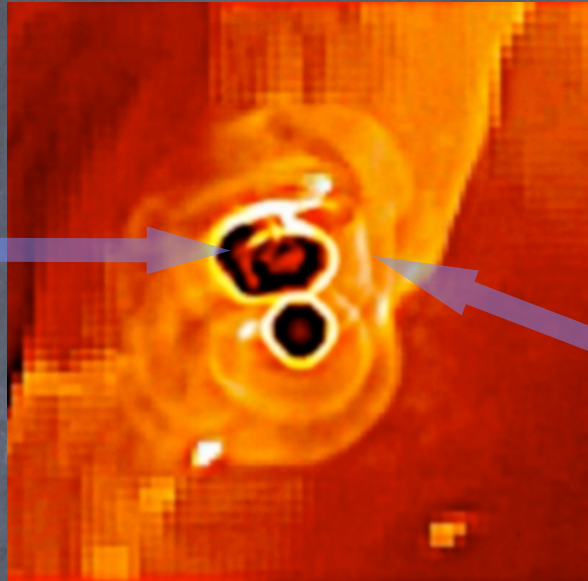
*FLASH* code AMR simulation of  
AGN feedback

Bruggen, Ruszkowski, Hallman 2005

“Russian doll”  
bubble

Before

After

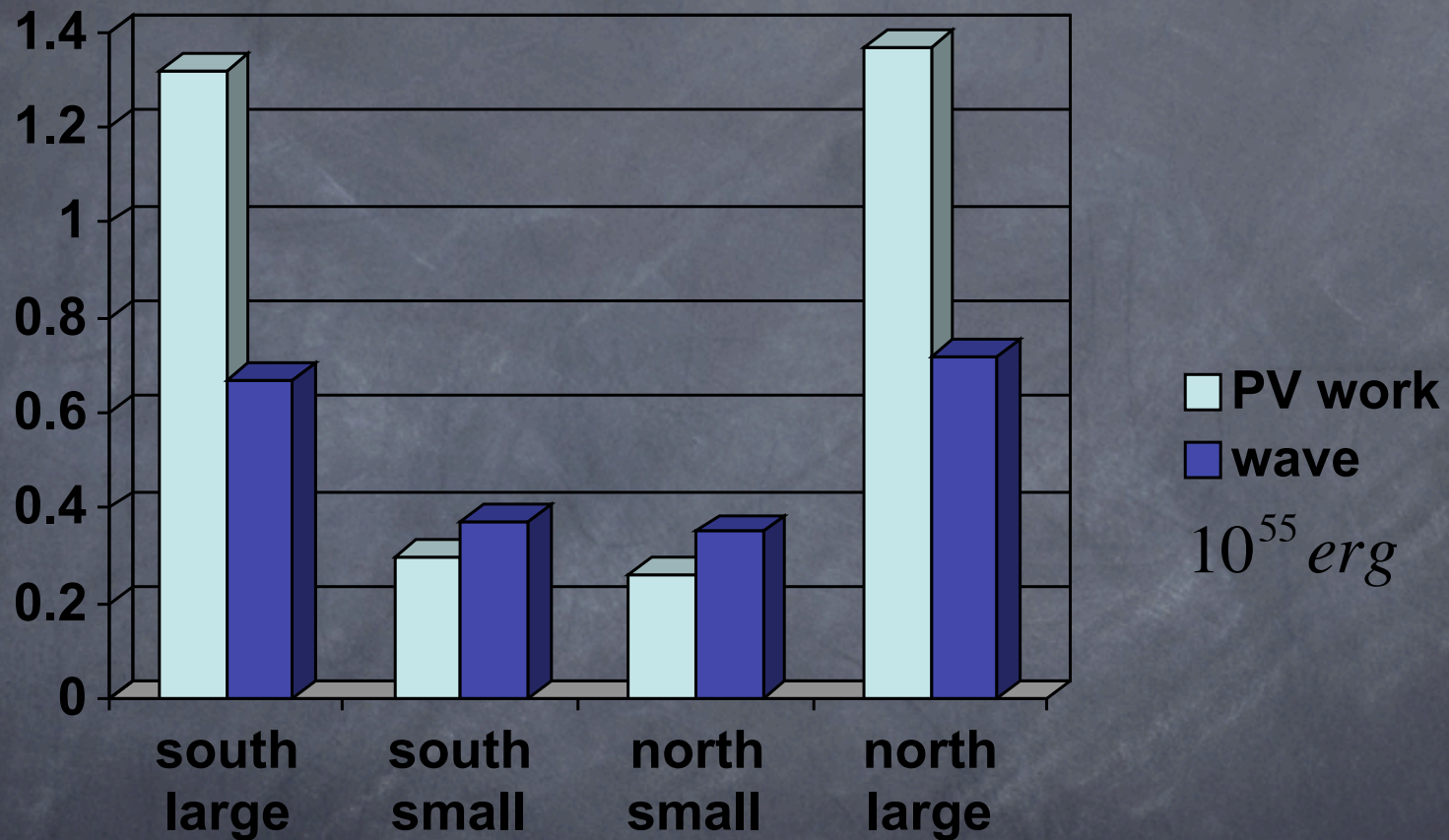


bubble distorted by the  
relative AGN-ISM motion

waves detach  
from the bubble

and dissipate via  
transport processes

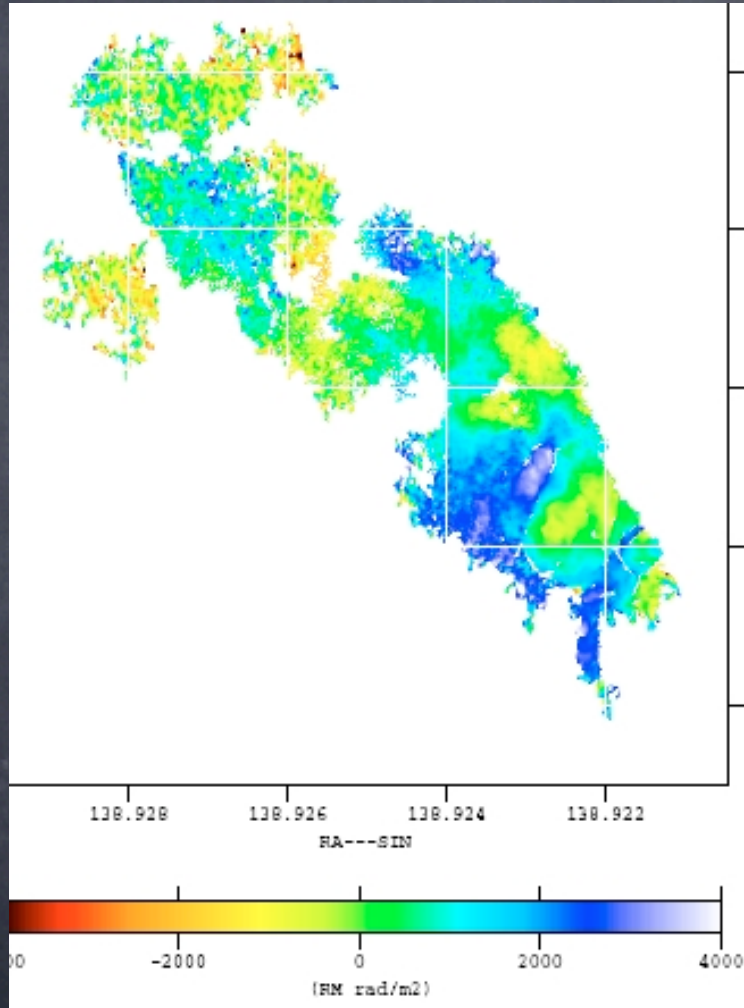
## M84 energetics



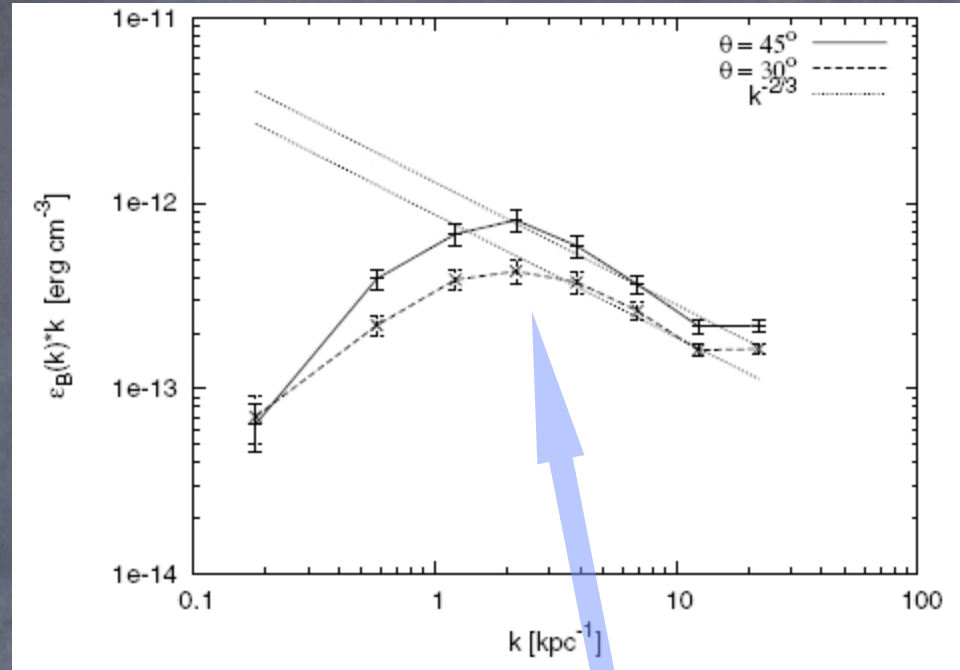
- wave-to-bubble ratio decreases with the distance
- significant energy in the waves



# Magnetic fields in the ICM



rotation measure map

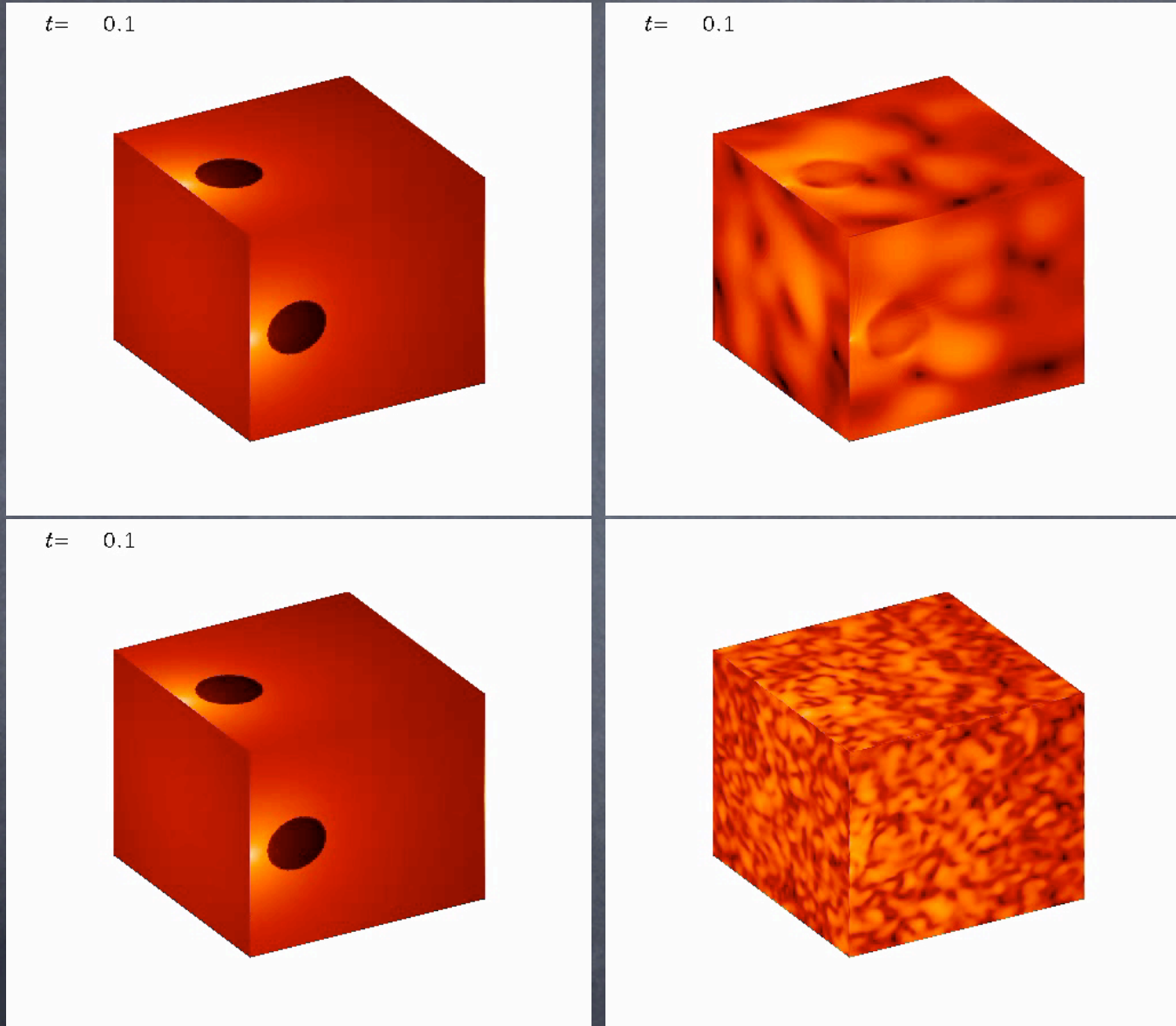


Power spectrum of B-field fluctuations  
(Ensslin & Vogt 2005)

**Maximum near bubble size !**

**→ magnetic draping**

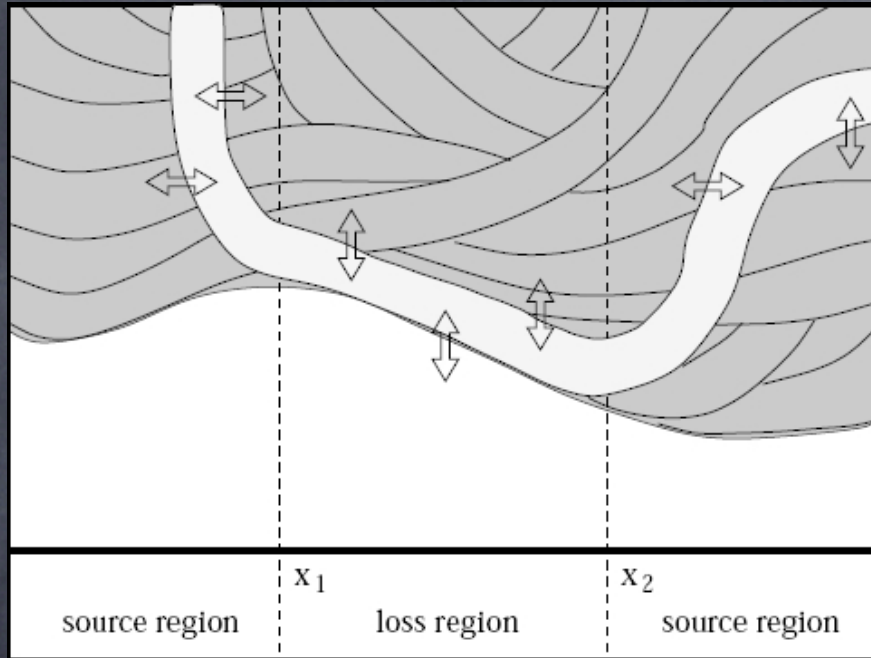
## 3D MHD simulations with the *PENCIL* code



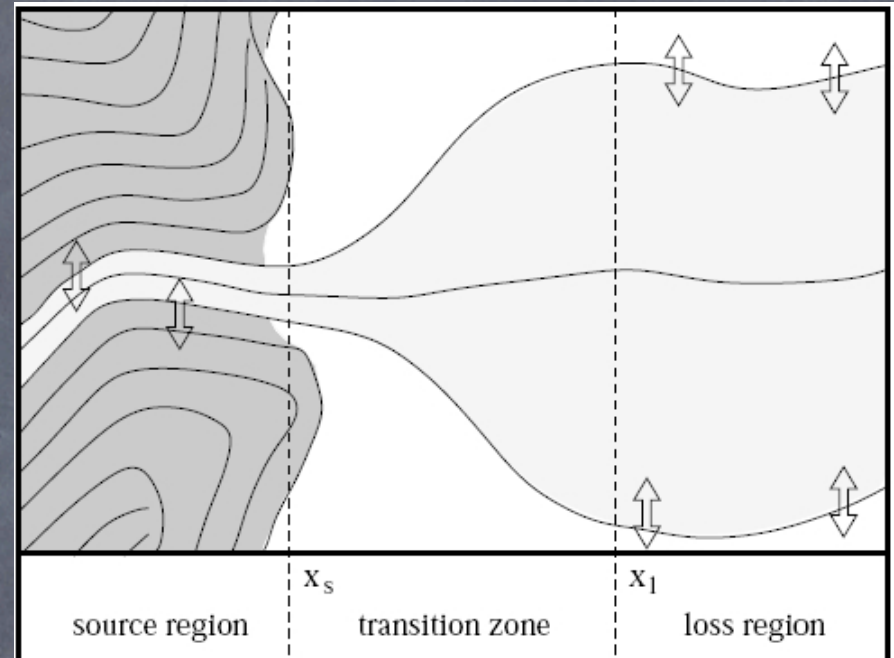
Ruszkowski, Ensslin, Bruggen, Heinz, Pfrommer 2007



# Modes of escape of non-thermal particles from the bubbles



**Cross-field diffusion**  
(recall M84)



**Interface B-flux tubes**  
(e.g., in the bubble wakes  
or due to  
“piercing” by the jet - recall M84)

$$K_{perp} \ll K_{para}$$

Theoretical suggestion (Ensslin 2003)

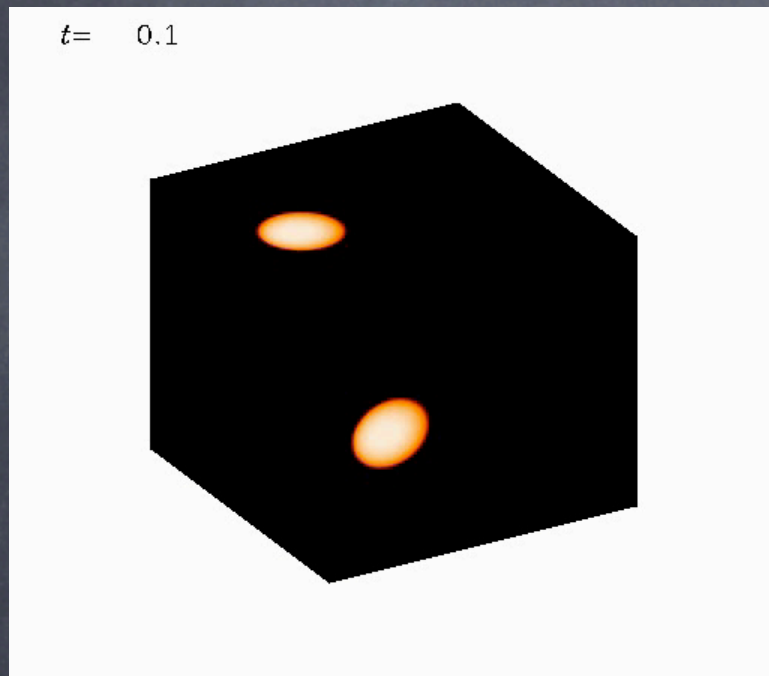
$$K_{para} \sim 2 \times 10^{29} E_{10}^{1/3} r_5^{2/3} B_1^{-1/3} \eta^{-1} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ s}^{-1}$$

Observationally-based suggestion (Mathews & Brighenti 2007)

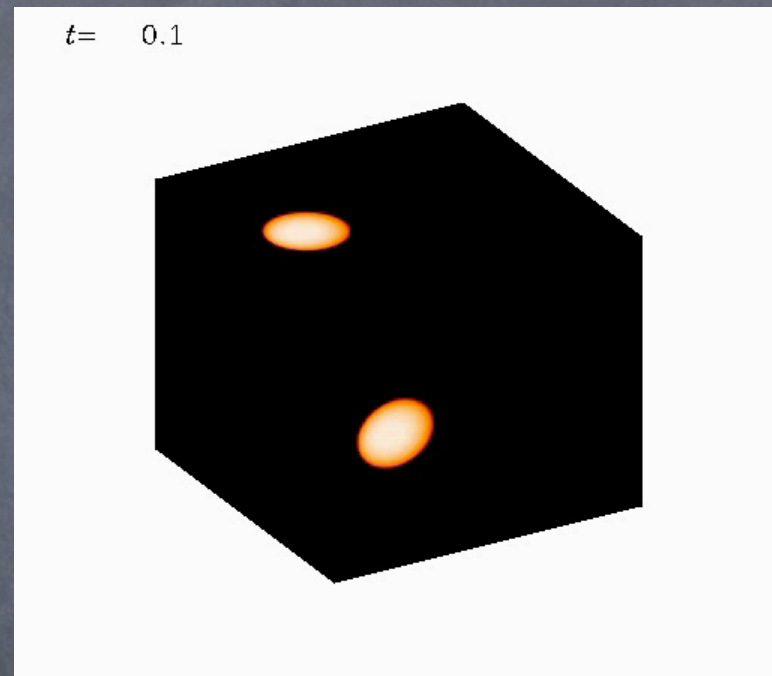
$$K \sim 7.5 \times 10^{29} r_5^2 / t_7 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ s}^{-1}$$



3D MHD simulations of  
anisotropic particle escape  
from the bubbles



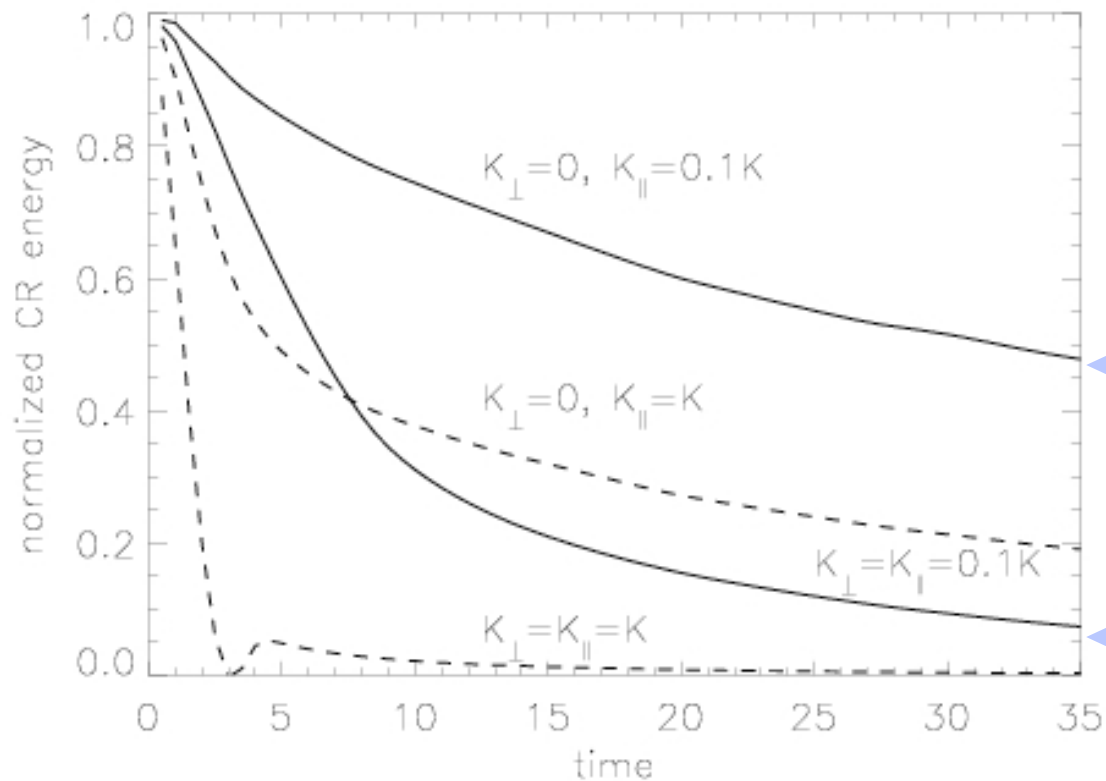
isotropic



anisotropic

Ruszkowski, Ensslin, Bruggen, Begelman, Churazov 2008

## Escape of non-thermal particles from the AGN bubbles

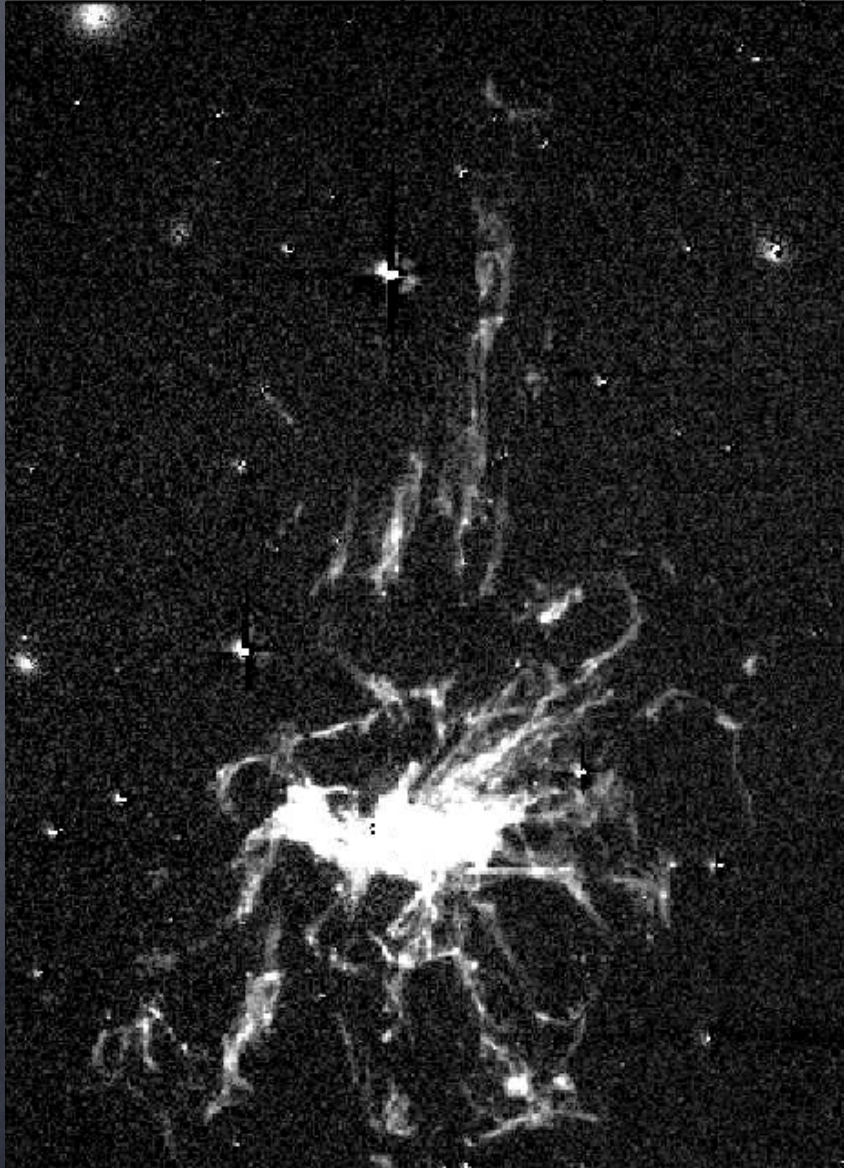


50% of non-thermal  
Particles escape

Isotropic case  
most particles escape

Ruszkowski, Ensslin, Bruggen, Begelman, Churazov 2008





$H_{\alpha}$

**excitation**

**X-rays from ICM ?**

Fabian et al. 2003

**Star clusters ?**

Hatch et al. 2006

**Conduction ?**

Donahue et al. 2000

or

**Cosmic ray heating ?**

**Diffusion in the bubble wake**

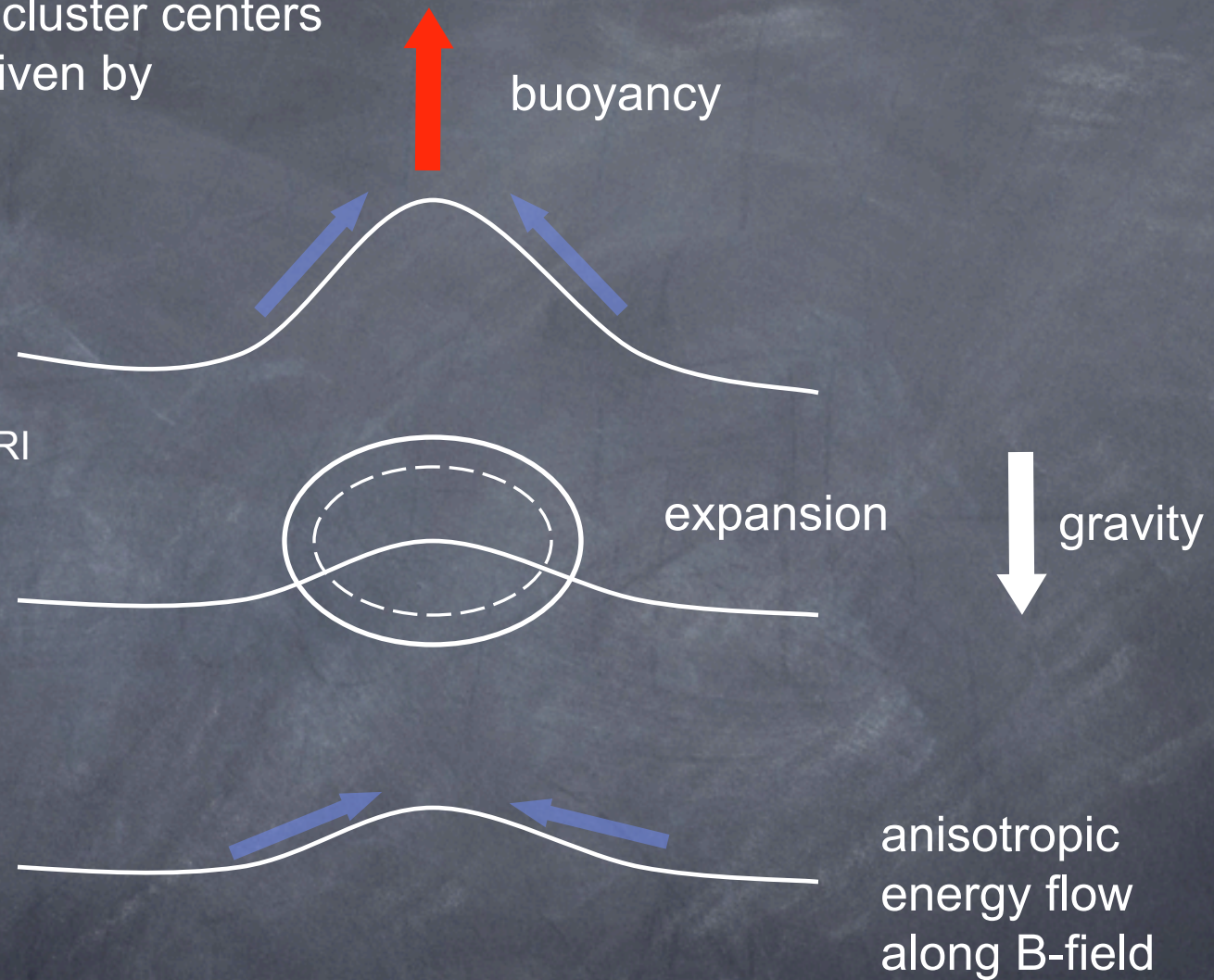
Ruszkowski et al. 2008

Ferland et al. 2008 (w/ *CLOUDY*)



escape of CR from cluster centers  
via the instability driven by  
**anisotropic**  
**energy transport**

$$\frac{d\Omega}{dr} < 0 \quad \text{classical MRI}$$
$$\frac{dp_{cr}}{dr} < 0$$

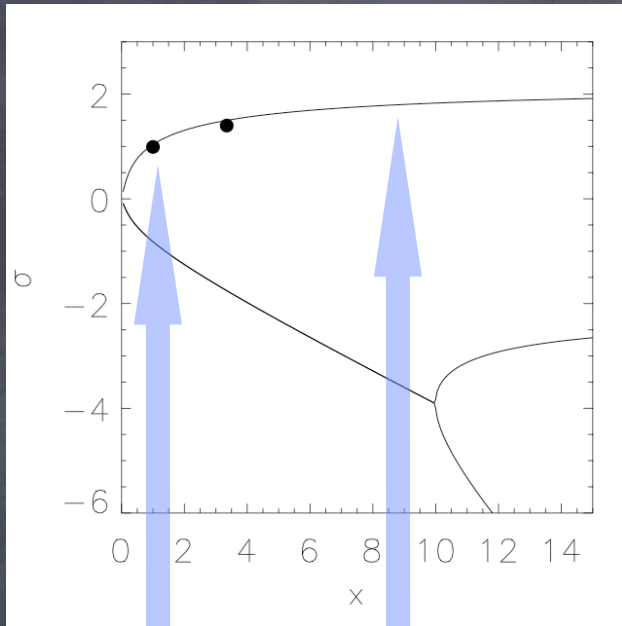


**Perrish & Stone 2005**

**Chandran 2001**

**Ruszkowski & Parrish 2008, in prep.**





perturbation  $\propto e^{\sigma t}$

$$x \propto K_{\parallel} k^2$$

$$t_{\text{grow}} \sim \sigma^{-1} \sim t_{\text{dynamical}}$$

linear theory

***PENCIL* code results**

Ruszkowski & Parrish 2008, in prep.

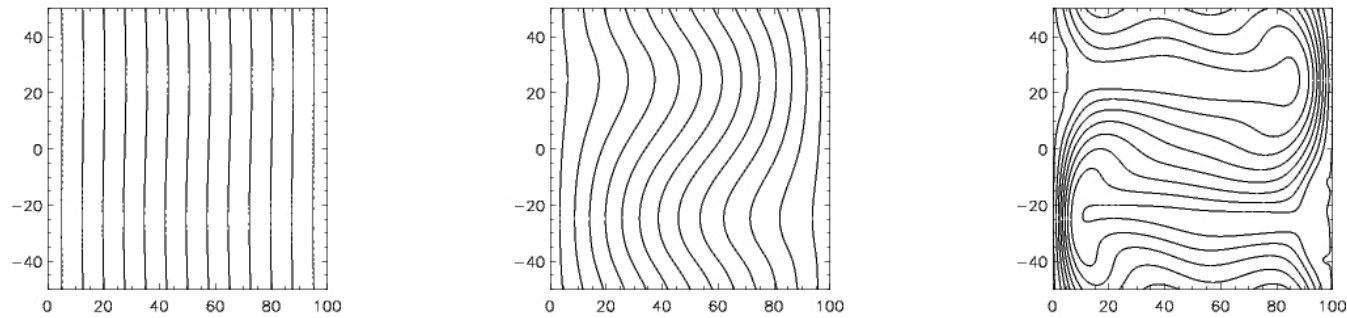
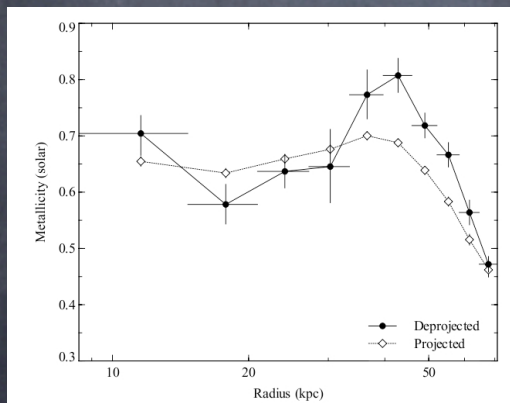
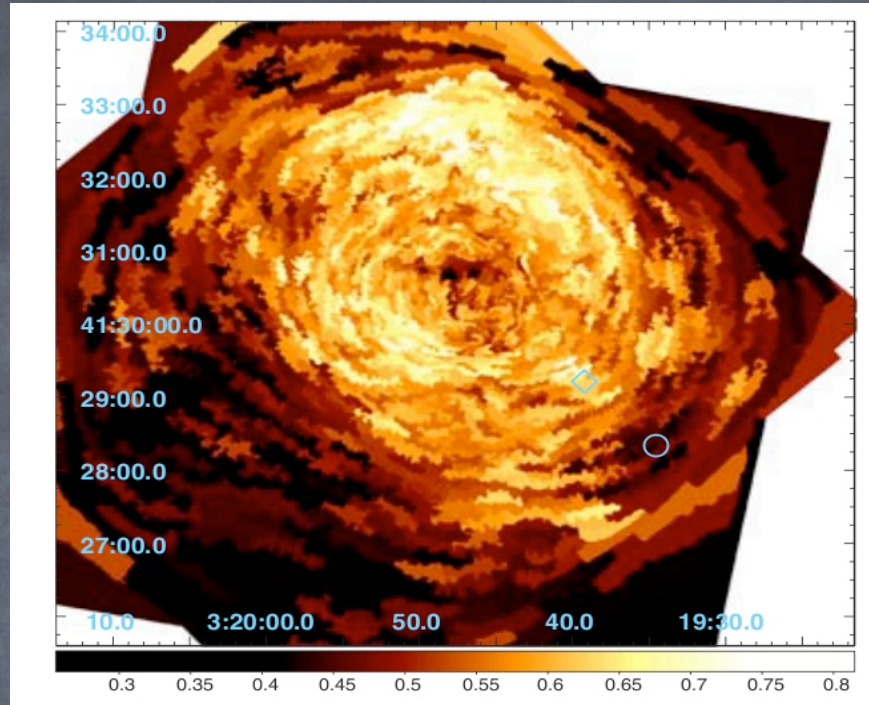


Figure 1: A snapshot from the *PENCIL* code tests of the development of the instability due to the anisotropy introduced by the magnetic field. This figure shows the evolution of the magnetic field lines subject to this instability. Gravity points in the  $-x$  direction and the time increases from the left to the right panel.

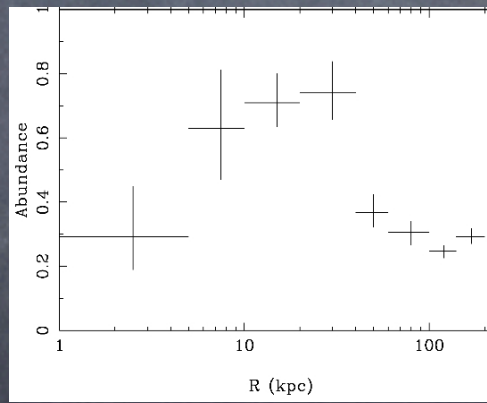
 gravity

the instability develops on the dynamical timescale

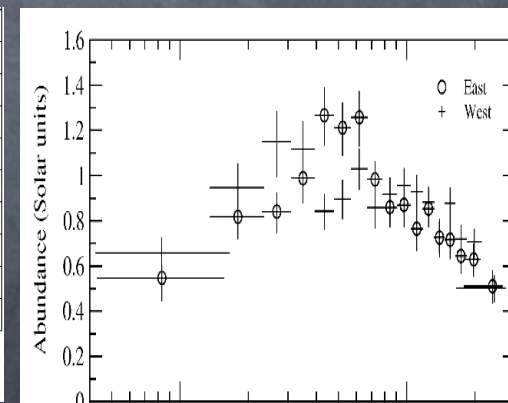




Perseus (Sanders & Fabian 2007)



A2199 (Johnstone et al. 2002)



Centaurus (Sanders & Fabian 2002)

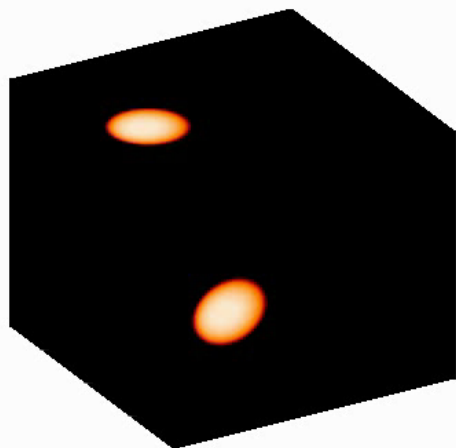
**Gas overturn due to the convective instability ?**

# Summary

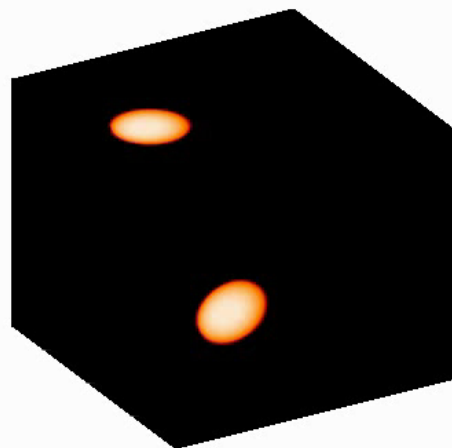
- ✓ **cool core - non cool core bimodality**
  - explained in a semianalytical study of global stability of clusters
  - cool core stabilized by AGN, non-cool core by conduction
  - no fine-tuning is required
- ✓ **M84 as an example of AGN feedback**
  - significant energy in waves
  - evidence for the escape of non-thermal particles from the AGN bubbles
- ✓ **Simulations with B-fields**
  - magnetic draping can efficiently prevent bubbles from disruption even for very weak magnetic fields
- ✓ **Simulations with anisotropic CR leakage**
  - difficult to confine all CRs in bubbles
  - CR can provide the excitation mechanism for the filaments
- ✓ **Simulations of plasma instabilities**
  - non-thermal particles can escape cluster centers on a dynamical timescale
  - turbulent heating, metallicity profiles



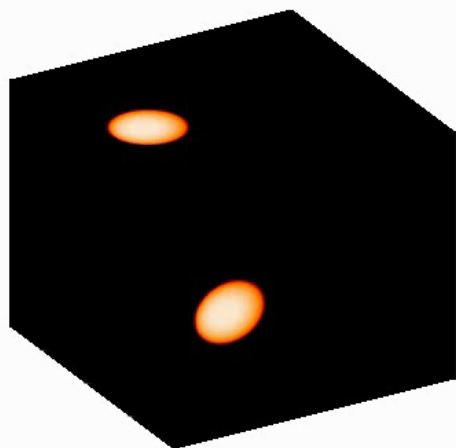
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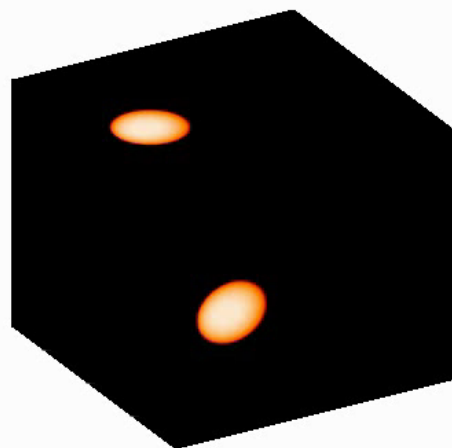
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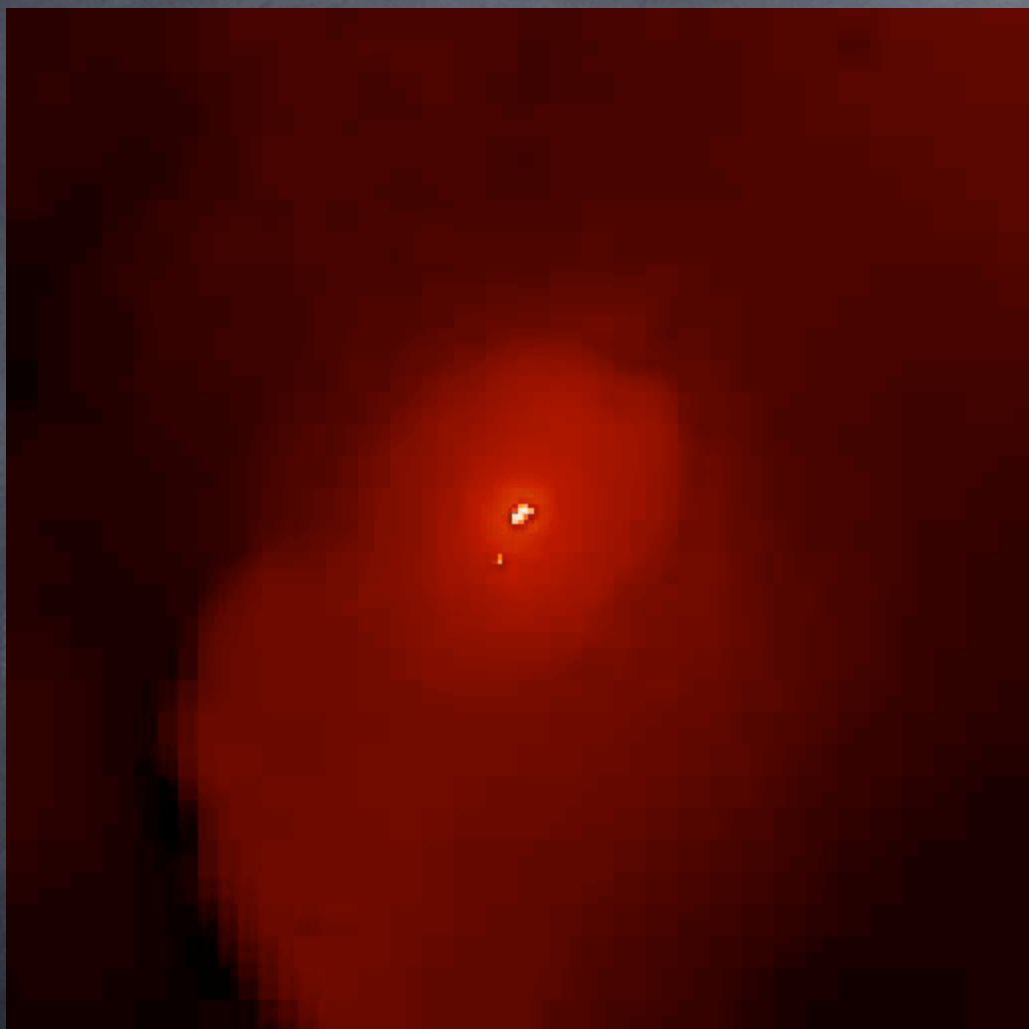


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**Table 2.** Physical  $k/f$  values.

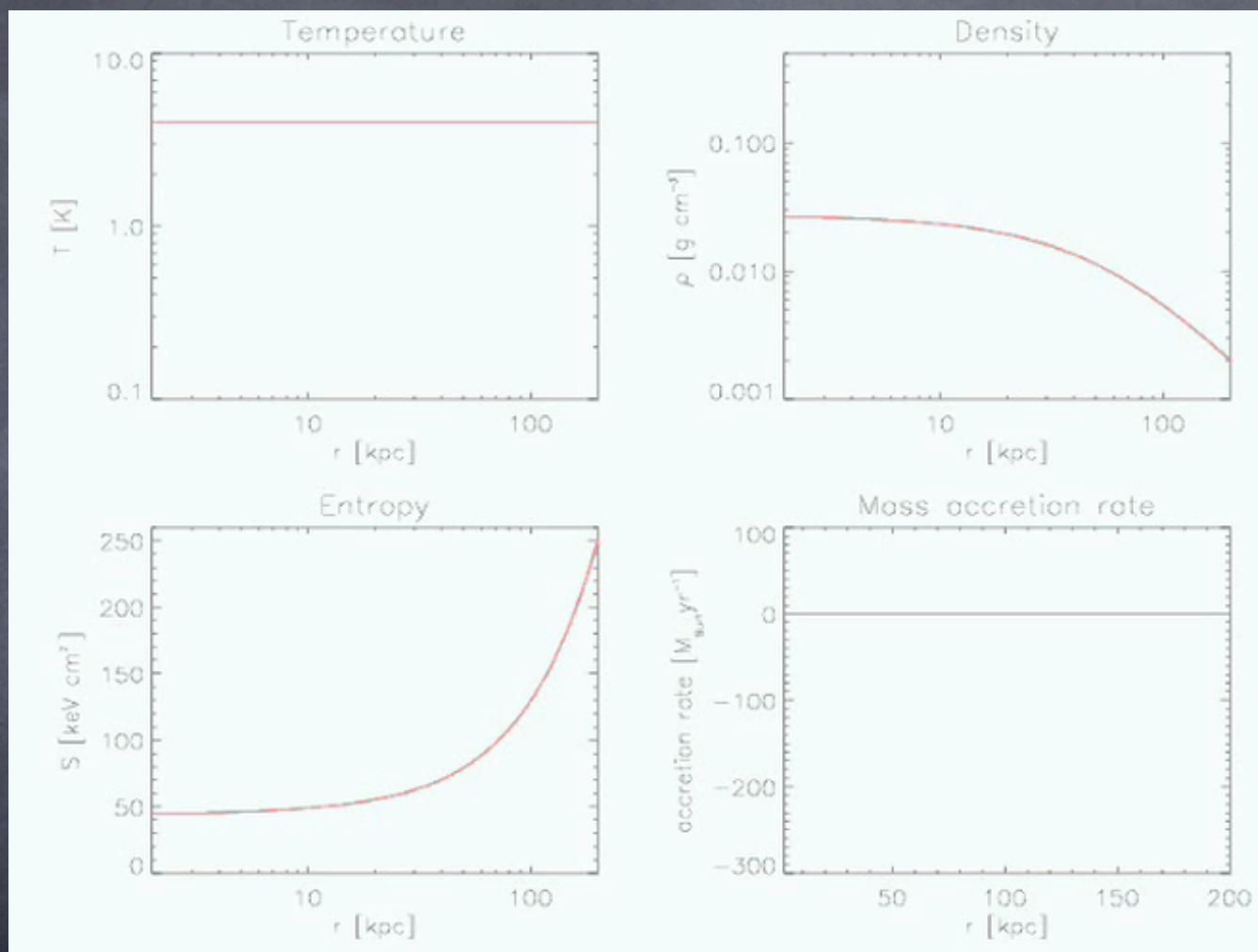
Cluster	Lobe <sup>a</sup>	Pressure (eV cm <sup>-3</sup> )	Re	Viscosity <sup>b</sup> (10 <sup>22</sup> cm <sup>2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> )	Energy <sup>c</sup> (10 <sup>58</sup> erg)	$k/f_{\text{sq}}$	$k/f_{\text{sound}}$ <sup>d</sup>	$k/f_{\text{buoyancy}}$	$k/f_{\text{jet}}$
Active bubbles									
3C401	N, R	39.6	1938	7.75	3.36	1.72	0.51 <sup>10.80</sup> <sub>3.32</sub>	1.60 <sup>2.51</sup> <sub>1.00</sub>	0.62 <sup>0.98</sup> <sub>0.39</sub>
4C55.16	S, R	31.9	1990	7.96	2.44	0.65	0.22 <sup>0.35</sup> <sub>0.13</sub>	0.57 <sup>0.91</sup> <sub>0.35</sub>	0.29 <sup>0.47</sup> <sub>0.18</sub>
	N, R	320	879	3.54	14.4	776	93.5 <sup>992</sup> <sub>182</sub>	90.4 <sup>669</sup> <sub>5.69</sub>	52.4 <sup>388</sup> <sub>2.14</sub>
A262	S, R	277	1227	4.91	19.7	364	32.8 <sup>115</sup> <sub>10.2</sub>	47.0 <sup>165</sup> <sub>10.2</sub>	24.4 <sup>85.7</sup> <sub>5.28</sub>
	E, R	55.4	301	1.20	0.040	352	221 <sup>119</sup> <sub>107</sub>	528 <sup>1003</sup> <sub>257</sub>	319 <sup>605</sup> <sub>155</sub>
A478	W, R	55.4	330	1.32	0.041	308	199 <sup>96</sup> <sub>54.0</sub>	387 <sup>709</sup> <sub>183</sub>	300 <sup>595</sup> <sub>141</sub>
	NE, R	440	471	1.88	0.092	177	70.3 <sup>152</sup> <sub>11.4</sub>	225 <sup>485</sup> <sub>100</sub>	149 <sup>221</sup> <sub>66.5</sub>
A1795	SW, R	440	585	2.34	0.34	653	171 <sup>168</sup> <sub>86.2</sub>	885 <sup>1909</sup> <sub>395</sub>	307 <sup>661</sup> <sub>137</sub>
	NW, R	356	190	0.76	0.28	107	31.6 <sup>83.0</sup> <sub>22.6</sub>	63.4 <sup>46.3</sup> <sub>42.5</sub>	18.1 <sup>24.6</sup> <sub>13.0</sub>
A2029	S, R	356	191	0.76	0.26	88.4	22.3 <sup>30.4</sup> <sub>16.0</sub>	39.8 <sup>54.2</sup> <sub>28.6</sub>	14.2 <sup>19.3</sup> <sub>10.5</sub>
	NW, R	669	153	0.61	0.44	33.1	4.27 <sup>32.5</sup> <sub>0.49</sub>	4.46 <sup>33.9</sup> <sub>0.51</sub>	2.31 <sup>17.6</sup> <sub>1.26</sub>
M87	SE, R	669	170	0.68	0.71	45.8	6.57 <sup>20.0</sup> <sub>0.75</sub>	5.86 <sup>44.7</sup> <sub>0.67</sub>	2.96 <sup>22.5</sup> <sub>0.34</sub>
	E-CJ, R	704	106	0.42	0.040	26.8	8.75 <sup>31.0</sup> <sub>1.87</sub>	28.6 <sup>102</sup> <sub>6.13</sub>	8.53 <sup>30.3</sup> <sub>1.83</sub>
NGC 4472	E, R	106	83	0.33	0.011	4807	3531 <sup>5010</sup> <sub>2448</sub>	5143 <sup>5396</sup> <sub>2225</sub>	3209 <sup>4553</sup> <sub>4158</sub>
	W, R	134	115	0.45	0.016	8727	5323 <sup>7552</sup> <sub>3690</sub>	11401 <sup>16175</sup> <sub>7803</sub>	5998 <sup>8509</sup> <sub>4158</sub>
NGC 4636	NE, R	145	12.6	0.051	$1.6 \times 10^{-4}$	61.5	88.4 <sup>237</sup> <sub>28.3</sub>	53.2 <sup>142</sup> <sub>17.0</sub>	77.7 <sup>208</sup> <sub>24.9</sub>
	SW, R	145	12.4	0.050	$1.1 \times 10^{-4}$	71.0	95.9 <sup>257</sup> <sub>90.7</sub>	19.4 <sup>32.0</sup> <sub>6.22</sub>	94.4 <sup>253</sup> <sub>30.2</sub>
Ghost bubbles									
A85	N, X	363	758	3.03	1.86	19462	4631 <sup>28513</sup> <sub>581</sub>	678 <sup>41756</sup> <sub>851</sub>	4390 <sup>27030</sup> <sub>551</sub>
	S, X	264	802	3.21	2.46	40635	10154 <sup>45521</sup> <sub>1275</sub>	9936 <sup>61178</sup> <sub>117</sub>	8315 <sup>51201</sup> <sub>1044</sub>
A2597	NE, X	242	604	2.41	2.3	268109	50559 <sup>235904</sup> <sub>7861</sub>	55871 <sup>260247</sup> <sub>8134</sub>	40104 <sup>486808</sup> <sub>7839</sub>
	SW, X	253	801	3.20	3.6	445843	54361 <sup>253218</sup> <sub>7914</sub>	86847 <sup>404538</sup> <sub>12644</sub>	5572 <sup>629589</sup> <sub>8113</sub>
Centaurus	N, X	99	58.6	0.23	0.062	152.7	97.5 <sup>128.8</sup> <sub>13.4</sub>	50.7 <sup>67.0</sup> <sub>18.9</sub>	25.1 <sup>33.2</sup> <sub>11.3</sub>
Perseus ghost	W, X	232	242	9.70	3.0	16522	8771 <sup>34015</sup> <sub>1294</sub>	976 <sup>3853</sup> <sub>144</sub>	1355 <sup>5347</sup> <sub>200</sub>
	S, X	206	381	1.52	4.1	17254	5174 <sup>20419</sup> <sub>763</sub>	1176 <sup>5641</sup> <sub>173</sub>	1339 <sup>5285</sup> <sub>198</sub>
Perseus halo	SW, R	172	894	3.58	14.5	49178	7214 <sup>7397</sup> <sub>763</sub>	2744 <sup>4214</sup> <sub>173</sub>	3024 <sup>3101</sup> <sub>198</sub>
	W, X	1848	1353	5.41	29.2	920472	20118 <sup>126028</sup> <sub>2482</sub>	19438 <sup>121768</sup> <sub>2398</sub>	1031 <sup>464603</sup> <sub>1272</sub>
RBS797	E, X	1848	1353	5.41	29.2	920472	20118 <sup>126028</sup> <sub>2482</sub>	19438 <sup>121768</sup> <sub>2398</sub>	1031 <sup>464603</sup> <sub>1272</sub>

Notes. <sup>a</sup>The codes for the lobes are: N, northern; S, southern; E, eastern; W, western etc.; X, sizes from X-ray image; R, sizes from radio image; CJ, counter jet cavity in M87. <sup>b</sup>The viscosity is estimated assuming that the flow is laminar and has a Reynolds number of 1000. <sup>c</sup>The energy quoted here is  $E = PV$ , so the values have to be multiplied by the appropriate  $\gamma/(\gamma - 1)$ . <sup>d</sup>The range on the limits on  $k/f$  from the uncertainty in the spectral index are given by the maximum values (superscript) and minimum values (subscript). The uncertainties from other parameters are shown in Fig. 1.

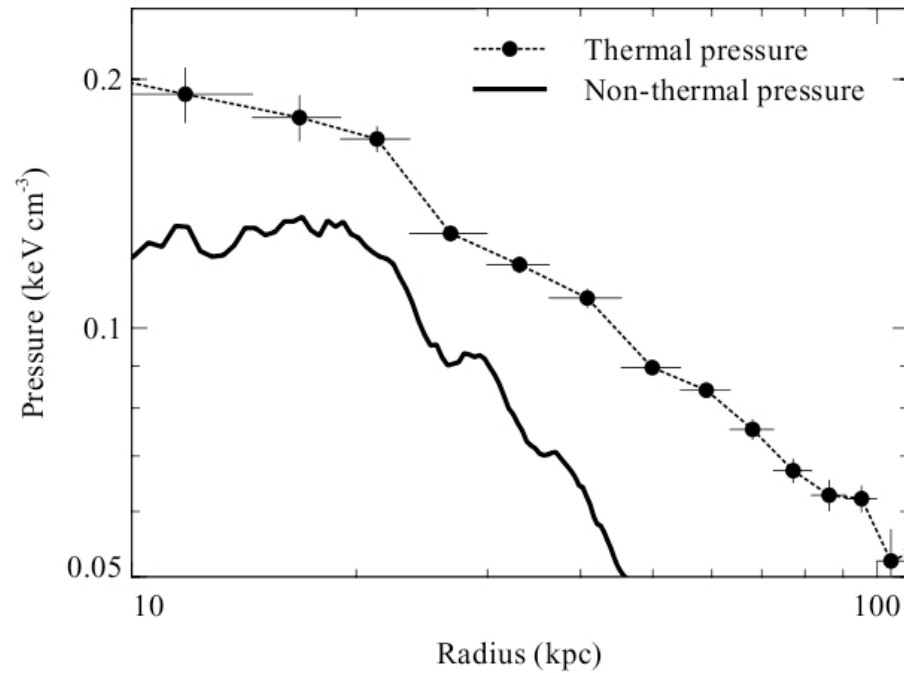
Dunn & Fabian 2005

System	$PV_{\text{tot}}$ (10 <sup>58</sup> ergs)	$P_{\text{cav, tot}}^a$ (10 <sup>42</sup> ergs s <sup>-1</sup> )	$L_X^b$ (10 <sup>42</sup> ergs s <sup>-1</sup> )
A85.....	1.2 <sup>+1.2</sup> <sub>-0.4</sub>	37 <sup>+37</sup> <sub>-11</sub>	365 ± 20
A133.....	24 <sup>+11</sup> <sub>-1</sub>	620 <sup>+260</sup> <sub>-20</sub>	106 ± 2
A262.....	0.13 <sup>+0.10</sup> <sub>-0.03</sub>	9.7 <sup>+7.5</sup> <sub>-2.6</sub>	11.1 <sup>+0.4</sup> <sub>-0.3</sub>
Perseus.....	19 <sup>+20</sup> <sub>-5</sub>	150 <sup>+100</sup> <sub>-30</sub>	554 ± 2
2A 0335+096.....	1.1 <sup>+1.0</sup> <sub>-0.3</sub>	24 <sup>+23</sup> <sub>-6</sub>	338 ± 2
A478.....	1.5 <sup>+1.1</sup> <sub>-0.4</sub>	100 <sup>+80</sup> <sub>-20</sub>	1440 ± 10
MS 0735.6+7421.....	1600 <sup>+1700</sup> <sub>-600</sub>	6900 <sup>+7600</sup> <sub>-2600</sub>	450 ± 10
PKS 0745-191.....	69 <sup>+56</sup> <sub>-10</sub>	1700 <sup>+1400</sup> <sub>-300</sub>	2300 ± 30
4C 55.16.....	12 <sup>+12</sup> <sub>-4</sub>	420 <sup>+160</sup> <sub>-160</sub>	640 ± 20
Hydra A.....	64 <sup>+48</sup> <sub>-11</sub>	430 <sup>+200</sup> <sub>-50</sub>	282 ± 2
RBS 797.....	38 <sup>+50</sup> <sub>-15</sub>	1200 <sup>+1700</sup> <sub>-500</sub>	3100 <sup>+100</sup> <sub>-130</sub>
Zw 2701.....	350 <sup>+530</sup> <sub>-200</sub>	6000 <sup>+8900</sup> <sub>-3500</sub>	430 <sup>+20</sup> <sub>-30</sub>
Zw 3146.....	380 <sup>+460</sup> <sub>-110</sub>	5800 <sup>+6800</sup> <sub>-1500</sub>	3010 <sup>+70</sup> <sub>-90</sub>
A1068.....	...	20 <sup>c</sup>	...
M84.....	0.003 <sup>+0.005</sup> <sub>-0.002</sub>	1.0 <sup>+1.5</sup> <sub>-0.6</sub>	0.07 ± 0.01
M87.....	0.020 <sup>+0.014</sup> <sub>-0.003</sub>	6.0 <sup>+4.2</sup> <sub>-0.9</sub>	8.30 <sup>+0.03</sup> <sub>-0.04</sub>
Centaurus.....	0.060 <sup>+0.051</sup> <sub>-0.015</sub>	7.4 <sup>+5.8</sup> <sub>-1.8</sub>	28.1 ± 0.3
HCG 62.....	0.046 <sup>+0.073</sup> <sub>-0.028</sub>	3.9 <sup>+6.1</sup> <sub>-2.3</sub>	1.8 ± 0.2
A1795.....	4.7 <sup>+6.6</sup> <sub>-1.6</sub>	160 <sup>+230</sup> <sub>-50</sub>	625 <sup>+6</sup> <sub>-11</sub>
A1835.....	47 <sup>+50</sup> <sub>-16</sub>	1800 <sup>+1900</sup> <sub>-600</sub>	3160 <sup>+60</sup> <sub>-90</sub>
PKS 1404-267.....	0.12 <sup>+0.15</sup> <sub>-0.05</sub>	20 <sup>+26</sup> <sub>-9</sub>	27 ± 1
MACS J1423.8+2404.....	29 <sup>+52</sup> <sub>-19</sub>	1400 <sup>+2500</sup> <sub>-900</sub>	2290 ± 30
A2029.....	4.8 <sup>+2.7</sup> <sub>-0.1</sub>	87 <sup>+49</sup> <sub>-4</sub>	1160 ± 10
A2052.....	1.7 <sup>+2.3</sup> <sub>-0.7</sub>	150 <sup>+200</sup> <sub>-70</sub>	97 ± 1
MKW 3S.....	38 <sup>+39</sup> <sub>-4</sub>	410 <sup>+420</sup> <sub>-44</sub>	104 ± 2
A2199.....	7.5 <sup>+6.6</sup> <sub>-1.5</sub>	270 <sup>+250</sup> <sub>-60</sub>	142 ± 1
Hercules A.....	31 <sup>+40</sup> <sub>-9</sub>	310 <sup>+400</sup> <sub>-90</sub>	210 <sup>+10</sup> <sub>-20</sub>
3C 388.....	5.2 <sup>+7.5</sup> <sub>-2.1</sub>	200 <sup>+280</sup> <sub>-80</sub>	27 <sup>+2</sup> <sub>-3</sub>
3C 401.....	11 <sup>+20</sup> <sub>-7</sub>	650 <sup>+1200</sup> <sub>-420</sub>	37 <sup>+7</sup> <sub>-7</sub>
Cygnus A.....	84 <sup>+70</sup> <sub>-14</sub>	1300 <sup>+1100</sup> <sub>-200</sub>	420 ± 4
Sersic 159/03.....	25 <sup>+26</sup> <sub>-8</sub>	780 <sup>+820</sup> <sub>-260</sub>	220 ± 6
A2597.....	3.6 <sup>+4.6</sup> <sub>-1.5</sub>	67 <sup>+87</sup> <sub>-29</sub>	470 <sup>+8</sup> <sub>-17</sub>
A4059.....	3.0 <sup>+2.5</sup> <sub>-0.9</sub>	96 <sup>+89</sup> <sub>-35</sub>	93 ± 1

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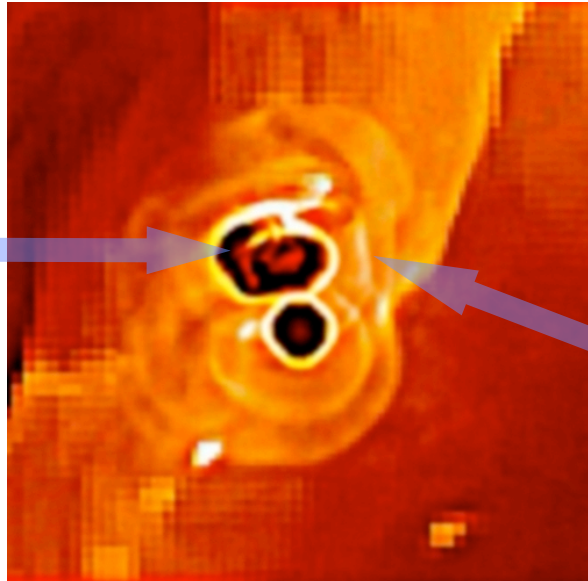




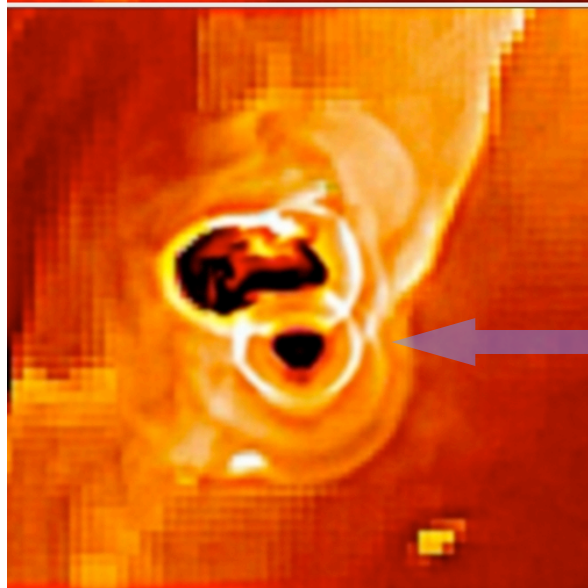
**Figure 24.** Inferred average non-thermal particle pressure calculated from the  $\Gamma = 1.5$  power law plus multitemperature results in Fig. 21, assuming inverse Compton emission. Also plotted is the average thermal gas electron pressure from Sanders et al. (2004).

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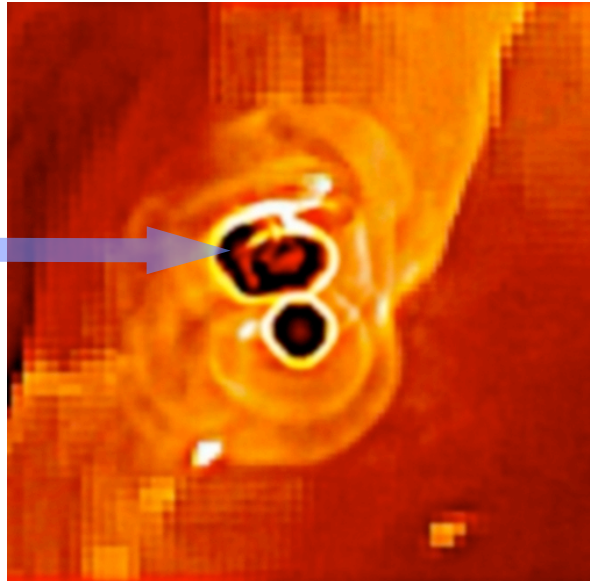
**bubble distorted by the  
relative AGN-ISM motion**



**waves detach  
from the bubbles**



**“Russian doll”  
bubble**



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